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POST OFFICE IS A BUSY PLACE

Staff Of Local Office Have 1001 Duties To Perform As Well As Being An Information Bureau—Many Questions Would Require A Solomon To Answer—Mothers Get The Baby Weighed.

To work in the Grimsby Post Office one must not only have a knowledge of Postal work, but must know geography, laws and regulations of the country, possess a very even temper and a keen sense of humour. For in a day's work you meet many peculiar situations.

The Post Office is a sort of Government agent for many Branches. You may obtain numerous forms—for Income Tax, forms for Children's Allowance, white ones for the first baby, blue for subsequent children. During the day you are not only asked for the forms but are asked how to fill them out. But the clerks do draw the line at being asked to fill out Income Tax forms. You can also obtain Passport application forms, literature on Government Annuities, Unemployment Insurance and, during the war years, National Registration Cards.

The Post Office seems to be a central point for Tourist information. Some Americans' idea of the Geography of Canada is rather "dim," as was shown by one traveller some time ago. He wanted to know the shortest route to Montreal and then on to Edmonton. He explained that he only had a couple of days to spend in Canada. When told that he was about 400 miles from Montreal and then about a couple of thousand miles the other way to Edmonton, he was rather surprised and curtailed his intended trip to some extent.

During the time of National Registration, one kindly soul who thought the Post Office could do anything, wrote saying that she had lost her registration card. "Would the Post Office find it for me?"

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GRAPE GROWERS' CO-OP COMPLETELY FINANCED

Growers Purchase \$200,000 Worth Of Second Mortgage Bonds—New Processing Plant Will Be Built.

The Ontario Grape Growers' Co-operative Ltd., a recently formed Niagara Peninsula growers' organization, announced to-day that the offering of shares and second mortgage bonds in the \$500,000 processing plant to be built in St. Catharines, had been almost completely subscribed.

The plant, to be situated on Berryman Avenue, will be managed by the internationally famous Welch Grape Juice Company, and will handle about 2,500 tons of grapes annually for processing purposes. The plant will also be equipped to process other fruits.

"The response by growers to the \$200,000 second mortgage issue and share offering has been excellent and we expect to conclude the financing portion of this new undertaking at a very early date," a joint statement by the directors, representative district growers, explained. There is still a limited opportunity for growers who wish to participate, the statement added.

Financing of \$300,000 has been provided for through a first mortgage issue, and it is planned that both first and second mortgages, which are interest bearing, will be retired in about 18 years. At this time the plant will become the sole property of the shareholders.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

At the last meeting of Board of Education, West Lincoln Branch of the Canadian Legion was granted the use of the high school auditorium and gymnasium for a carnival on the night of November 11, at a rental of \$25.

A. W. Cullen presented financial report of the Blomson Time Music Festival showing receipts of \$474 and expenses amounting to \$432.11.

Appointment of William McFarlane as high school caretaker was confirmed.

Accounts amounting to \$1,478.36 were passed for payment.

On suggestion of Lincoln County Health Unit full length screens have been ordered for two windows of each room in the public school.

HE WATCHES OVER GRIMSBY SCHOOLS



THOMAS LLOYD DYMOND, prominent Grimsby merchant and the very efficient Chairman of Grimsby Board of Education, under whose supervision the local Fountains of Knowledge opened on Tuesday for the Fall term.

MUNICIPAL CLERKS GET RELIEF FROM VERY DISTASTEFUL JOB

Will No Longer Be Called Upon To Cast Deciding Vote In Case Of Tie Between Two Candidates—Amendments To Municipal Act.

Considerable attention was directed last year to changes which were made in the Ontario Municipal Act, and which governed differences in procedure at nomination meetings and other local municipal functions. Further amendments to the Act this year have made other changes compulsory.

Section 64, as re-enacted last year, provided that where nominations were held on the last Monday in December they could only be held at noon at the hall of the municipality. A new sub-section added this year, which permits by-laws to be passed on or before Nov. 1, fixes the time and place of meeting.

Under the 1946 enactment it was compulsory to hold the day of nominations at least fourteen days prior to the day of polling. The new wording provides for holding nominations not less than seven days prior to polling.

There are also changes in procedure at nominations. The return-

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WHITE AIRCRAFT CO. TO REBUILD FACTORY

Walls Of Fire Scarred Plant In Good Shape—Expect To Employ 40 Men And Women.

From an authoritative source The Independent learns that work is to be started immediately in cleaning up the rubble and rebuilding of the White Aircraft plant on Elizabeth street which was ravaged by fire last October.

As far as can be learned the walls of the factory are in a solid condition and outside of a new roof only minor repairs are needed to put the building in first class shape to commence operations, as the lavatories and office portion of the plant were not injured to any extent by the flames.

It is understood that machinery and equipment will be moved into the plant from the Burlington factory and operations be gotten under way just as soon as possible with at least 40 men and women being employed.

CANNING PLANT STAFF CHANGES

Hugh P. Corey Retires And Norman J. Todd Becomes Manager Of Livingston Ave. Factory—Bruce Todd New Manager Of Robinson Street Plant—Other Promotions.

Changes in the management of the two local Canadian Canners factories have taken place this week that has meant the shifting and advancement of five employees.

Owing to ill health and at his own request Hugh P. Corey, for a number of years manager of the Livingston avenue factory has retired. Norman J. Todd, for the past three years manager of the Robinson street plant, and previous to that superintendent of that plant for some years, becomes the new manager of the Livingston avenue plant.

Bruce Todd for the past three years superintendent of the Robinson street factory now becomes manager of that plant. Louis Game for the past several years shipper at the Robinson street factory goes to the Livingston avenue factory as superintendent, while Lorne McMane becomes shipper at the Robinson street plant and Harold Beamer is promoted to the position of superintendent.

All changes took effect on Tuesday morning. It is expected that both plants will be running to full capacity on peaches, pears and plums within a week or 10 days.

GRIMSBY WEATHER

Week ending at 8 a.m., Monday, Sept. 1, 1947.

Highest temperature 97.8
Lowest temperature 58.5
Mean temperature 77.1
Precipitation 0.24 inches

Month of August
Highest temperature 95.6
Lowest temperature 46.4
Precipitation 2.15 inches

ORANGE CHURCH PARADE

On Sunday evening, Sept. 7th, the members of the Orange Order of Grimsby, Beamsville, Smithville, Hamilton, St. Catharines and Welland will attend church services in St. John's Presbyterian church, Grimsby. Rev. Francis McAvoy will preach a special sermon.

The members will meet at the Municipal grounds at 6.30 p.m. and headed by the Beamsville Citizens band will parade to the church by way of Main and Mountain streets.

REPRINTED BY THE REQUEST OF MANY READERS



This picture appeared in The Independent two years ago but many readers mislaid their copies of the paper and at various times have requested that it be reprinted, so here it is.

This photo is of the old Grimsby Hook and Ladder running team that in 1894-5 it is.

were the Champions of Ontario and New York State. This picture was taken in 1894, just 53 years ago.

Bottom row, l. to r.—"Irish" Tommy Noble, now of Moreley, Alta.; xW. E. Phillips; Wm. J. "Bill" Schwab, Grimsby; xHenry H. Farrell.

Second row, seated, l. to r.—xSolomon Wiemer; xWm. Farrow; xCharles F. Mabey; W. B. Smith, Grimsby, who in later years became Chief of the Fire Department; Chief Farrell, Grimsby; Wm. McConnell, now living in California; xW. F. Randall; Charles T.

Back row, l. to r.—xWm. "Skip" Wilson; Austin E. House, Grimsby; xJohn Dur-

ham; W. A. Ostroesser, whereabouts unknown; Wm. Houser, now living at Lowbanks; xSamuel E. Mabey; xHarvey Teeter.

On the ladder is xThomas Hill. This picture was taken in front of the present fire hall before it was renovated. Those marked x—deceased.

LITTLE CHERUBS OF YESTERYEAR



Just as we thought. This picture had everybody stopped. No wonder, for it was taken close on to 80 years ago. The gentleman and lady are the late Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Beamer, life long residents of Grimsby. The child sitting on Mr. Beamer's knee was his little daughter Laura, the late Mrs. W. B. VanDyke. The little boy on his mother's knee is our own, still active Murray Beamer, Ridge Road west, North Grimsby.

FRUIT BY AIR

Chatham, August 28 — Citizens of far northern mining communities in Ontario and Quebec shortly will be receiving their fresh fruit from Kent County by air transportation as a result of experiments being made from the Chatham airport by V. G. McGuigan, one of the county's leading fruit farmers.

McGuigan already has flown one plane load of peaches and apples to North Bay and New Liskeard. It is planned to inaugurate scheduled flights of fresh fruit into remote municipalities in the north, and to carry blueberries on the return flight.

"It is the first time in the history of Western Ontario that fruit has been flown direct from the orchard to a market in another part of Ontario," Mr. McGuigan stated. "The flight was an experiment and it proved highly successful."

"The peaches and apples arrived at their destination within a few hours, and without the two days of jolting they would have received had they been shipped by rail or road."

"The day is not too distant when Kent fruit growers and farmers will be shipping their produce directly overseas from the airport," he added.

"Perishable products can be more easily marketed in this manner, especially strawberries. Next year should see a big boom in flying fruit from this area to communities to which access by rail and truck are slow and hard."

The best time logged on the flight was two hours and 20 minutes for the 330 air miles between Chatham and North Bay.

TO FOSTER CLOSER RELATIONS BETWEEN PARENTS, TEACHERS

TAG DAY FOR BLIND WILL BE ON SATURDAY

You Can Help Your Less Fortunate Brother And Sister By Giving Generously To This Cause.

On Saturday of this week the annual tag day for the Blind will be conducted in Grimsby and it is hoped that the citizens will contribute generously to this worthy cause. In this connection it might be stated that the new St. Catharines and Lincoln County Home For The Blind in St. Catharines is now under construction, building will be ready for occupancy by December.

While the committee in charge of the new building, all building and land costs will be considerable and the money raised by tag days and fund-raising will go to days and fund-raising.

Along this line we give you herewith some valuable information about the work of the blind as conducted by the Canadian National Institute For The Blind.

Light is so important in our daily lives that we are paralyzed when a lives breakdown occurs. Even a power breakdown all activity until blown fuse lit and the fuse recandles are lit many of us truly placed. Yet not blind are always realize that the months ago two in the dark. Some Page 10)

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

—year-old son of Bruce Dean, 1man Dean, 186 Mr. and Mrs. Nanto, Ont., was Belzize Drive, Ton Friday, Aug. accidentally killed a jeep about 29th, while driving Kincardine near five miles south of Bruce Beach. their summer home, one sister Besides his parent at Western Norma, Medical University, survived the former Blanche Dean, was a sister of the Culp of Gr. J. H. Culp and Mrs. C. W. Walker, Arthur Culp.

AROUND WORLD ON AIR WAVES

A Grimsby Radio 'Ham' Talks To Out-Of-The-Way Places That Many People Never Heard Tell Of—Has A 19 Tube Set With A 500 Watt Transmitter.

(By DON RICHES)

As the dial on the receiver turned slowly, the room was filled with low, metallic clicks, groans, and high, cacophonous sounds. Then a voice repeated, "This is station VE-1-RR, this is station VE-1-RR, in Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada, calling CQ 20." Immediately we switched on the transmitter and answered, "This is station VE-3-AQS, this is station VE-3-AQS, in Grimsby, Ontario, Canada, calling VE-1-RR—hope you can hear me." "Go ahead VE-1-RR." "This is Halifax answering—what a signal—am receiving you loud and clear." And we talked on with a lad in Halifax about the weather (it was damp and foggy in Halifax on Monday night) and about things in general. Here were two radio "hams" talking over a distance of around 1400 miles like they were next door.

This took place by means of two homemade radio sets, one in Halifax operated by a sailor named Holland Shepherd, and one in Grimsby whose operator is Bill Gillard. Both men have other jobs and radio transmitting and receiving is their hobby. And what a hobby!

Bill Gillard is a Sales Engineer at McKinnon Industries in St. Catharines. He lives in Grimsby, (moved here nine months ago), on the new Kingsway Boulevard and spends two or three evenings a week after work on his hobby. He built his own radio set out of parts purchased through War Assets. This in itself is no mean feat as a radio carrying 19 tubes can be a rather complicated device—if it needs repairs. However, Bill says he gets a big kick out of his set, not only because of the thrill that comes from talking with a fellow "ham" halfway around the world, but also because he loves to putter around with his set, reading of the new advances, and constantly improving his radio.

Bill has been an amateur radio operator since "way back when" He (Continued on Page 10)

Water Safety Campaign Was Very Successful

Conducted By Grimsby Red Cross—30 Children Pass Tests And Receive Awards—Was Well Organized.

The Red Cross Water Safety Campaign came to a successful close on Friday, August 29th. Thirty children passed their tests given by Mrs. McKellar of Red Cross Headquarters, in the morning. In the evening at the Boys' Tabernacle, Grimsby Beach, the awards were given and Mrs. McKellar gave an outline of the Campaign. Two very good movies were shown on swimming and lifesaving which were enjoyed by all. Mary Crich and Geraldine Jervett gave delightful piano solos. Honey Jarrett sang and Judy Betts gave a very good recitation.

"The Tabernacle was crowded and we are greatly indebted to the owners for its use that evening."

The swimming classes for both Grimsby Beach and Nelles Side Road were also organized by Ruth Powell. Her instructors were Shirley Cornwell, Nancy Morton, Ruth Clarke, Barbara Pope, Stephen Hooper and Gareth Bedford and Ruth herself taught, too. She was backed by a very able committee composed of Mrs. R. Pope, Mrs. H. Powell and Mr. Cecil Bell. A very (Continued on Page 10)

HEAVY REGISTRATION AT THE PUBLIC SCHOOL

Grimsby Public School opened for the Fall term on Tuesday morning and Principal Griffith reports that he has received a record registration of 380 pupils with a possibility of still a few more being registered.

The Kindergarten has 55 little tykes on the roll and this means that this group of pupils will be divided and half of them will attend school in the morning and the other half in the afternoon.

With a heavy registration such as this the capacity of the two schools is taxed to just about the limit of seating accommodation.

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FACTS & FANCIES

Frank Fairborn, Jr.

WE'RE BROTHERS

I got a great kick out of reading the report of the monthly meeting of the Beamsville and District Chamber of Commerce in last week's Beamsville Express.

It brought a lot of memories to mind, also a lot of present day facts. It also brought to mind that just about a year ago now Young "Bill" Rennie, the present editor of the Express, came into my office and asked for a lot of advice along certain civic lines, a Chamber of Commerce formation included.

Young "Bill" bought the Express with some city newspaper experience, no country weekly newspaper experience, a wonderfully fine war record in the R.C.A.F. and absolutely no small town living experience. I hesitated to give the "kid" any advice along civic and community lines for fear that he would think that I was trying to scare him out so that The Independent could step in on his territory. But I did warn him to go carefully. I also vaguely suggested that if he could form a Chamber of Commerce that would work, to do so, but to travel very carefully.

He got his Chamber of Commerce formed, all right, and got started off with a big membership, but in the report of the last meeting I find this excerpt:

"After the reading of the minutes, James Lay reported on the results of the last motorcycle race. 'It was a success,' he said, 'because six or eight members were prepared to do more than their share.' Of 14 members called to work one evening, only four turned out. The Black Hawks Motorcycle Club did the lion's share of the work in preparing for the races. Mr. Lay said. He gave as his opinion the idea that the Chamber had a surplus of brains but a lack of sufficient brains to put these projects over. Both brains and brawn are needed, he concluded, paying tribute to the committee who worked on the race, especially to Bill Harper, who spent a considerable portion of his holidays on preparation for the event."

It ever was thus. I care not whether it was in Grimsby, Beamsville, or Pennsylvania, Virginia.

From observation and experience I came to the conclusion a long while ago that Grimsby had more "let's do this, let's do that, sitting on a chair around a banquet table" people than any other town in the country, but never do it. Now it appears that our neighbouring Village to the east has just as many of the same type as we have. Misery loves company.

Last Spring after a lot of prodding Grimsby Chamber of Commerce was reorganized. I was advised by older and wiser heads that it would not amount to anything. Today I believe that the advice was true. I had hopes, but those hopes like the roses of December are faded and gone.

My optimism along community lines, by a body of men, in a small town has just about reached zero, and I can see nothing on the community horizon that would tend to raise my temperature.

I have no hope for the Chamber of Commerce, and I have no hope of Young "Bill" Rennie's idealistic plans working out in Beamsville. No doubt "Pep" Shepherd has told him that long ago.

I guess it will be a case of go back to the old routine this winter. If you want anything done to boost Grimsby you will have to depend upon The Village Inn, The Niagara Packers and The Independent.

WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?

"Teen age dances will increase with the coming fall months, and in the past when the dance ended at 11 p.m., the question was often asked by some of them, 'Where do we go from here?' Perhaps they regarded the time as an early hour, and felt they should have more of these doings before going home.

Some people ask why it is that in many places so many dances and such events begin somewhat late, and people do not seem ready to go home before 2 or 3 o'clock. It would seem that people might well start their fun

LADY NELSON REHABILITATED



Gleaming in her new white paint and completely rebuilt and refitted after her war service, the "Lady Nelson", flagship of the Canadian National Steamships fleet, has embarked on her first post-war luxury cruise to Boston, Bermuda, the British West Indies and British Guiana. She is shown above heading out to sea from Halifax, escorted by a retinue of busy tugs.

The "Lady Nelson" was Canada's first Hospital Ship, and is shown at right in her wartime dress as a ship of mercy. She also transported thousands of war brides to Canada.

NOTE: When the Lady Nelson was commissioned as a hospital ship her hospital equipment was manufactured, supplied and installed by The Metal Craft Co., of Grimsby.—Ed.

early and get through early, and then get a good night's sleep as suggested by Hon. Russell Kelley, Ontario Minister of Health.

This may be considered an old fashioned view, but it seems a reasonable attitude, for sleep is extremely important. People can study better and work better next day, if they have a fairly long night of sleep.

PRELUDE TO ACTIVITY

Days are growing shorter, despite the deceptive artifice of daylight saving. Less than a month remains until the Autumnal Equinox warns of the coming advent of winter. Harvests are being gathered in, and the fullness of growth completes again the cycle of nature begun in spring and nurtured throughout the summer in sunshine and rain. The air is misty and hills and headlands loom indistinctly through a greyish haze. Grass and leaves drip with dew in the early morning; their freshness is beginning to fade.

Silence drifts like a vapor across the fields in the evening, as the pastel colors of the sunset fade into the universal grey of twilight. The mellow quiet has a music of its own, enjoyed by those with an ear for unheard melodies. Too soon the darkness falls, and the cricket chorus racks the night air with stridency, until again in the twilight of the dawn, "the solemn hush of nature newly born" soothes the spirit in soundless beauty.

Yet in the affairs of men life quickens with the prospect just ahead. The native vigor of the dwellers in north temperate lands awakens with the lifting of the enervating heat of summer. Activities that ceased for lack of interest resume their appeal, and plans long laid begin to take shape. School beckons the younger generation, and the routine of living fills time to the limit. Having renewed the energies of the body in the healing rays of the sun, the adventures of

mind and ambition lure the earnest heart with pleasures of a different sort.

Now is the time to determine the course of the coming months. There is a challenge that must be met in the opportunities that present themselves. Books to be read, music to be heard and study, new interests to cultivate, friendships to pursue—these and many another inspiration stir the latent urges of the responsive soul. Before the tide of triviality closes in, let us arrange to organize our time for something we have always wanted to do, but did not quite find possible in other circumstances. Thus the satisfactions of summer will find their complement and match in the achievements of the winter.

WHAT'S BECOME OF THE OLD TIME MEDICINE MAN

With the business of selling cure-alls pretty well taken over by radio announcers, we wonder what's happened to the old-time medicine man. The sellers of rattlesnake oil and painless corn remover at one time brought plenty of color, and even a little glamour, to the street corners of our cities, towns and villages.

With their kerosene lamps sending up an eerie flame above their heads, these sweating salesmen were always good for a couple of hours of solid entertainment. The singing and the card tricks were usually quite good, and even the scientific demonstration of how a dab of snakeoil would penetrate a half-inch cowhide shoe sole was an exhibition worthy of the close attention of each and all.

And by far the best feature, of course, was that you had to walk down to the corner yourself if you wanted to hear the show. The old-time medicine man, crude though he was, never invaded the front room to sell his wares the way radio announcers do to-day.

FOR YOUNG TRAVELLERS



A wait between trains in a strange city with a cover, but from now on the new prospect grim enough to appeal the most competent young man. Station in Montreal will three-room nursery in the Canadian Pacific Railway's Wreathen up before continuing give both parent and youngster a chance to rest, relax and and its playroom (top) is their journey. The nursery is in charge of a trained nurse and its playroom (top) is equipped with an indoor slide, blocks and toys with which the children can be turned loose. The "quiet" room (lower left) has cots for the children. bathroom (lower right) where mothers to relax. Two diminutive tubs are provided in Scotia, is seen bathing her 14-month-old boy. A hot plate, bottle warmer and sterilizer is available for preparing milk and formulas, and the rooms are all decorated with pictures of animals. Miss Ethel Alexander, R.N., the matron-in-charge, who can be seen in the upper picture, keeps an eye on the children while mother about errands in the station—seeing about tickets or having a meal.



Myrt. White has another new fur coat.

Four p.m. Saturday afternoon A. & P. store door was locked to the public, I hope, not forever.

Archie Alton and Bob Johnson eating early morning breakfast in Joe's Restaurant. What's the matter? Cooks on strike?

Can't figure out how come there are so many blonde babies getting their airings with so many brunette mothers and vice versa.

West The Barber raced 236 mile beats on Thursday last. He had been at Dufferin on Wednesday to see Van Biggar win the Futurity.

Herbie Jarvis the Insurance Tycoon, down town before eight in the a.m. Ain't that sumph? Must have been a big deal in the office somewhere.

An orchid this week to "Bill" Copeland for the excellent job that he did as "Town Cop" while Chief of Police W. W. Turner was away for a few well-earned holidays, and Constable Seymour was on night duty.

For years I have heard weird tales about "The Farmer's Daughter." Now I am going to The Rory on next Wednesday or Thursday night and see this famous lady in person. I'll find out then if all the commercial traveller's stories were true.

It is tough to report but The Independent is losing two mighty fine cub reporters the end of this month in Brydon and Riches. Both lads are going to university. Art to Queen's and Don to Toronto. Some day these boys will be crack newspapermen.

A whole armful of orchids to that Canada Coach Lines driver that pulled up in front of the police station at two minutes to eight o'clock, apparently running extra, on Sunday night, and reported to Constable Seymour about the drunk driver that was on No. 8 highway, between the town and the Park Road. Wherever he went he never came over Anderson's Hill for George would have got him if he had. There should be plenty of merit marks for this driver. He deserves them.

Two orchids for that Canada Coach Lines bus driver, running 43 minutes late, scooped over Palmer's Hill on Friday evening at two minutes to six o'clock, noticed the three little kiddies racing down Livingston avenue waving at him to stop. He squared his bus on the straightaway on Main and came to a sudden stop, waited for the kiddies, took them aboard and gunned away. It is courtesy of this kind that builds business for any company. This driver is worthy of merit marks.

CHILDREN IN THE STREET

One of the most important forms of child training is to teach children the necessity of care when they cross or run or step into a street. Too many of them might be said to try to dispute the right of way with an automobile, as one parent humorously put it after her little daughter had been slightly hurt when she ran out in the street and was hit by a car.

Many youngsters are heedless, and so intent on the particular thing they are doing, that they forget about possible dangers. If they are throwing a baseball or football around, and the ball goes out into the street, the youth may feel it urgently necessary, to retain his standing in his group, to recover that ball instantly. So if he suddenly runs out in front of a fast car, there may be danger of an accident.

Communities and families do what they can to teach children the dangers of the street, and the necessity of taking care of themselves. It is a lesson which should be given them at a very early age. They ought to get the idea to look both ways before crossing they can be told how greatly they will suffer if seriously hurt by an automobile.

Automobile drivers should take great care to look out for the children, and avoid danger of accident if the youngsters do careless things. They cannot expect these little ones to show the same degree of care that can be expected of an adult. It is the hope of our people that the youngsters can all grow up well and strong, and that none of them will be the victim of a traffic accident.

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Those white lines on Ontario highways are not put there by the man who marks out tennis courts. They're applied by a special truck that averages, as it works, 8 to 10 miles an hour, and carries a crew of three. The Ontario Department of Highways has, in fact, five of these trucks, representing many thousands of dollars of valuable equipment. They are an important factor in keeping our highways safe.

So far this year, some 1,500 miles of black highway have been "white-lined," involving the use of about 11,000 gallons of paint. It is expected that 2,400 miles of Ontario highways will be so marked this year, according to a highways department engineer.

Highways Minister



HON. GEO. H. DOUCETT

Minister of Highways, Province of Ontario, whose department is responsible for the system of highway marking as part of a constructive program for highway safety.

Laying those white lines, with which so many motorists are familiar, requires the skill and perspiration of a stable crew.

Before the line-marking equipment is brought into play, engineers precede it and mark with symbols just where the lines and bars are to be placed. There is no margin for error; symbols placed in the exact centre of the road indicate where and what type of marking is required.

Also preceding the marking machine is a supply truck with a crew of two that carries an adequate supply of little red flags mounted on wooden blocks. These flags are dropped along the fresh markings by a helper in a trailer attached to the marking truck, warning motorists to keep clear of the wet paint. The supply truck precedes the marking machine by a few miles and leaves a stock pile of the red flags by the side of the road. Later, it retrieves the flags after the paint is dry.

To show up the white markings at night, glass bead paint is applied on the more heavily travelled roads. Fine particles of hard, smooth glass (harmless to tires) is dropped into the paint, providing a reflecting surface for car headlights. So far this year, about 31,000 pounds of this glass bead paint has been laid on portions of Ontario highways that carry heavy night traffic.

Some 23 years ago, the white paint was put on by brush from a hand-drawn "buggy," George Stockdale, highways foreman reports. This was a slow and tedious process and became quite inadequate as the province's paved highway was expanded. A spray gun was used but the truck which carried it had only sufficient paint to mark about 6 miles a day.

The new trucks, built by the Department of Highways, carry 350 gallons of paint each, enough for a good day and a half's work, Mr.

Stockdale says. Equipped with compressor and air curtain, the trucks apply a smooth, even coat of paint. A long V-shape fin attached to the front of the truck and protruding some 18 feet, provides an accurate pointer that keeps the truck in the right path for marking.

Highways Inspector, Ivan Rasmussen, stresses that the white lines are put on for the protection of the travelling public, and their warnings should be observed. Where vision is less than 500 feet double white lines are laid. Their meaning to motorists is clear and concise: "Do not cross the solid line on your side."

Cost of white lines average about \$30 a mile. The public pays for this work; it is good sense and safe practice to make sure it is not wasted. Many accidents could be avoided and lives saved by "obeying" the white lines.



Operator Bruce Dure is ready to pull trigger of spray gun that paints white markings on Ontario highways. His helper, Frank Brewster, is prepared to drop line of red flags warning motorists to keep off the fresh paint. Painter in front of truck enables driver Ralph Lee to keep operator's gun in the exact centre of road. Ontario Department of Highways operates five of these trucks and so far this year has "white-lined" about 1,500 miles of black highway.

Marked Improvement In July Accident Record Despite Heavy Traffic

Hopeful signs that Ontario is making progress in traffic accident prevention are seen by the Hon. George H. Doucett, Minister of Highways, who has announced that in the face of the heaviest traffic in the Province's history, deaths from motor accidents were 23 fewer in July this year than in July of last year, and 59 fewer than in July of 10 years ago, when the volume of traffic in Ontario was very much smaller than it is today.

Warning that July's improvement in the traffic death rate could be quickly reversed, Mr. Doucett declared: "There is certainly no ground for complacency or for letting up on our safety efforts throughout the Province because of fewer fatal accidents in any single month. Our motor vehicle traffic is still increasing rapidly and our worst period of the year for fatal accidents is still ahead. In fact, I am even hesitant about releasing this encouraging news about the July drop in fatalities when right now the worst week-end for accidents, the Labor Day week-end, is just ahead of us."

"In the July traffic toll figures, one of the results which will gladden the hearts of everybody is the improvement in fatalities among school age children. The preliminary figures, gathered by the accident recording division of the Department of Highways, show five children killed in the five to 14 year age group, as compared with 14 deaths in July of last year. That saving of nine children's lives in a single month is an indication that we can reduce the tragedy of traffic losses by a united and continuous effort."

"Thanks are certainly due to our school teachers, the Department of Education, the newspapers, radio stations, and other groups including drivers, who contributed to this victory. In June, before the school holidays, the Department of Education and my own department teamed up on a special child safety drive. A four-page bulletin was sent to 35,000 school teachers asking them to close their classes with a safety lesson; then some 540,000 carry-home safety messages for parents were delivered throughout the schools to Ontario children. Newspapers throughout the Province, and all the radio stations gave us marvelous support."

The seriousness and size of Ontario's traffic safety problem is not, in Mr. Doucett's opinion, realized by enough people. "Ontario now has over a million licensed drivers, and our motor vehicle registration is running 10 per cent over last year," he pointed out. "Added to the some 720,000 Ontario vehicles, we

have in the summer months a huge influx of U.S. cars amounting to more than our entire registration, and creating on our highways what is probably the world's largest non-resident motor vehicle traffic. To keep the accidents down in the face of the great increase in accident-making conditions requires a continual effort on the part of all of us."

Mr. Doucett explained that in the Spring of 1946, in anticipation of a large increase in traffic, a detailed study of the Province's traffic safety problems was made. Arising from this research work, a planned program of public education on safety was put in operation. In the Spring of this year, as a corrective to the still greater increase in traffic, important amendments were made to the Ontario Highway Traffic Act, and this new legislation was timed to come into effect on July 1 when the summer traffic was mounting rapidly.

"The impact of this new legislation on the motoring public and the very fine support which the new safety laws and the whole cause of traffic safety is receiving from the Ontario newspapers and radio stations has probably contributed to our lower fatality results in July," Mr. Doucett states. "Improvement in a single month, however, nothing more than a hopeful sign. It is no proof that we have yet reversed the upward trend of traffic casualties. I add the warning that the dangers of an increase in the traffic toll to even more appalling totals than in pre-war years is a very real danger that is with us all the time. Laws, safety engineering and the general building of a safety conscious attitude on the part of the public can only go so far in reducing accidents. In the last analysis, continual attention and effort by all of us is needed."

HISTORIC IRON MINES AGAIN IN OPERATION

Iron mines in New Jersey, which were producing two centuries ago but have not been operating for a score of years past, have been put in commission again. They are not large properties, the Peters Mine and the Cannon Mine, but they have an interesting history and once played an important role when the United States was a very young and struggling nation. From the ore mined in these shafts the cannon which armed the famous frigate Constitution ("Old Ironsides") were forged, as well as the immense chain suspended across the Hudson River below West Point to prevent British warships sailing further up to bombard defenseless towns.

With the resumption of the above two pits the property known as the Ringwood Mines will turn out 1,000 tons of ore daily. It is interesting to recall that many years before the California gold rush the principal source of the yellow metal within the United States was in another Atlantic coast state, North Carolina. When the price of gold was raised some revival in that area was attempted but it does not appear to have attained any great importance.

NOT WHAT THE PHOTOGRAPHER EXPECTED



An King Arthur sought the Holy Grail, photographers devote their lives and end picture "something different." The author said it into a toy panda to the Bronx zoo idea. He ex-the cage with one of the zoo's giant

FEET FREEDOM

Consideration of the feet, when it comes to exercise, is urged by health authorities. Some means of looking after the feet are described in a new National Health publication on the subject.

"For the greater part of the day, feet are kept in unhygienic surroundings," it is pointed out. "They too, need rest, relaxation and careful cleansing. After washing the feet, be sure to dry the toes separately. Moisture there favours infection. And, wiggle the toes for a few minutes."

The new book also points to the need for footwear which will permit free action of all the feet muscles.

MILK FOR ADULTS

Nutrients supplied by milk are important to adults as well as to children. Even after our bodies and bones are formed, there is continual breakdown of body tissues, and milk furnishes much of the protein needed for rebuilding them. Milk also is important in maintaining the normal functioning of the nervous system.

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Social Events — Personals — Organizations — Club Activities

STRIKING SCARF

Mrs. Edric S. Johnson is visiting with her sister at Sherbrooke, Que.

H. Thomson and Mrs. Stewart were weekend visitors to Peterboro.

Ralph and Mrs. Wigle of Detroit, were holiday weekenders with Byron A. and Mrs. Smith, Oak St.

Harold and Mrs. Rayner who recently sold their fine home on Main east have moved to St. Catharines to reside.

Through Leslie M. Wilcox, who is now living on the outskirts of Hamilton, we learn that Rev. Thos. Richards, who for some years was Pastor of Grimsby Baptist Church, is now stationed in Arizona, just west of London.

St. John's Church Presbyterian

Rev. F. McAvoy, B.A., B.Th., Minister.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 7th

11 a.m.—"A Spiritual Challenge"
7 p.m.—Orange Church Service

Gospel Hall

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LORD'S DAY

Breaking of Bread — 11 a.m.
Sunday School — 3 p.m.
Gospel Meeting — 7 p.m.

Wednesday

Prayer Meeting and Bible Reading, 8 p.m.
— All Welcome —

Trinity United Church

Rev. A. L. Griffith, B.A., Minister.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 7th

11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship and Junior Congregation.
Subject: "The Christian Ministry."
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School in Trinity Hall.
7.00 p.m.—Evening Worship.
Subject: "Foundations For Reconstruction." 1.—"The Problem of Our Time."

The Baptist Church

Rev. G. A. McLean, B.A., Minister.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 7th

10.00 a.m.—Church School.
11.00 a.m.—Communion Service.
Pre-Communion Meditation.
"The Head Of The Churches"
7.00 p.m.—Evening Worship.
Sermon Subject — "Parables. What Do They Mean To Us?"

St. Andrew's Church (Diocese of Niagara)

Rector: Rev'd E. A. Brooks, M.A., Tel. 548.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 7th

14th Sunday After Trinity
8.30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11.00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon.
7.00 p.m.—Evening Song.
Afternoon sessions of the Sunday School begin next Sunday, Sept. 14th, at 2.30 p.m.

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LADY LAWN BOWLERS

Brantford, Aug. 27—Mrs. E. Jubilee and Mrs. F. Hurst of Grimsby took top honors in the ladies' intercity doubles tournament of the Dufferin Lawn Bowling Club here. Other winners were: Mrs. H. M. Reed and Mrs. A. Harvey, Beamsville; Miss G. Peacock and Miss E. Smith, New Hamburg; Mrs. O. Cornell and Mrs. O. Kitchen, St. George.

Engagement

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Charles of Brooklyn, New York, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Florence Esther Charles, to Mr. William Hewlett Theford, son of Mrs. Robert Theford of Sleepy Hollow Manor, North Tarrytown, New York, and the late Mr. Robert Theford.

Miss Charles attended Facker Collegiate Institute and is a graduate of the Chase School, Brooklyn, N.Y.

Mr. Theford is a grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Theford and the late Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Doig, of Brooklyn, N.Y. He is a graduate of Brown University. During the war he served with the United States Marine Corp. The wedding is planned for Autumn.

NEW ORGAN IS BEING INSTALLED THIS WEEK

Workmen are busy this week installing the new Case/Organ in St. Andrew's Church and expect to have it ready for use on Sunday, Sept. 14th.

This instrument, negotiations for which have been under way for the past four years, has been highly spoken of by Mr. E. G. Elliott, organist of Grace Church, Brantford, who saw it recently in the factory at St. Hyacinthe, Quebec.

It will in due time be dedicated together with an appropriate memorial tablet in memory of the late Rector, the Reverend J. Allan Ballard and Mrs. Ballard.

Grimsby Red Cross



enquiry has been sent from An oval Tracing Bureau concerning displaced persons. Irene Romantshukewitch, D. Camp, Rosenheim, Camp "A", Uerra Team 188, Bavaria, is trying to locate her brother, DMYTRO ROMANTSHUKWITCH. Anyone knowing anything of the whereabouts of the above person please contact Mrs. C. E. Durham, Secretary, Grimsby and District Branch, The Canadian Red Cross Society, Box 582, Grimsby, Ontario.

A weekly calendar will be published beginning next Sunday. All organizations are requested to send their notices to the minister before Thursday noon of each week.

JACKSON REUNION

The tenth reunion of the Jackson Family was held at Mohawk Park, Brantford, on Labour Day, and was one of the most successful yet held. Nearly 200 relatives from far and near were welcomed by the president, Prof. V. W. Jackson of Grimsby. Upon registering, each guest was given a name tag showing the family crest. A feature of the afternoon was the book "Kith and Kin", a family history, illustrated with early pictures and maps, prepared by Prof. Jackson and his sister, Mrs. L. A. Bromley, who were highly praised for their work. An illuminated family tree and family scrap book were on display and created much interest.

After dinner an entertaining programme of original contests was conducted by Walter Morris of Grimsby, and Jack Morris of Amherstburg. The oldest person present was Mr. W. J. Robb of St. Thomas, who gave a splendid address on the changes that have taken place since he was a boy more than 60 years ago. He praised the courage of the early settlers. Though the problems may be different the challenge is as great today as it was then and calls for as much courage, strength and faith.

Mr. James Jackson of Toronto, also 64 years old, spoke briefly and Prof. Jackson explained the coat of arms and the tartan. The one coming the farthest was Mrs. Annie Green of Anoka, Minnesota. Also present from a distance were Bill and George Richardson from Chicago, and Mrs. Harry Schick and son, from Cincinnati. The prize for the youngest person went to Sandra Lee Edwards, of Brantford.

Officers elected were Miss Marjorie Hamilton, president; Mr. John Hardie, Brantford, vice-president;



It looks like another big season for the scarf as one of the most beautiful and versatile of fashion accessories. Depicted here is one of the latest designs of the brilliant new Brooks Cadwallader collection. The designer used the Staffordshire dogs that are part of that china collector's items as inspiration. The figures are worked on checkerboard squares in two shades of blue, creating the illusion of perspective. The border is blue.

Mrs. Leonard Staples, Hamilton, secretary; Mr. A. E. Coleman, Toronto, treasurer. A hearty vote of thanks was given the retiring secretary, Mrs. L. A. Bromley of Grimsby, for her many years of service and she was asked to be custodian of family records. The next reunion will be held in 1949 at Springbrook Farm, No. 20 Highway, in South Grimsby, the first home of the ancestors and still in the family, formerly the home of David Jackson, the present owner being Ross Jackson, a grandson.

LADIES... LOVELY LADIES...

Activities of the various women's organizations in the town and township are now commencing for the fall and winter.

The Independent at all times is willing and happy to assist any and all organizations in their work. We are pleased to give all your endeavours the publicity that they deserve.

We must ask, however, that you please get your copy of all meetings, etc., in our office EARLY Also please do not ask our Lady Editor to take lengthy reports over the telephone.

Labor shortage in both our mechanical and editorial departments demand that we have all copy as EARLY as it is possible to secure it.

We hope you see our point.

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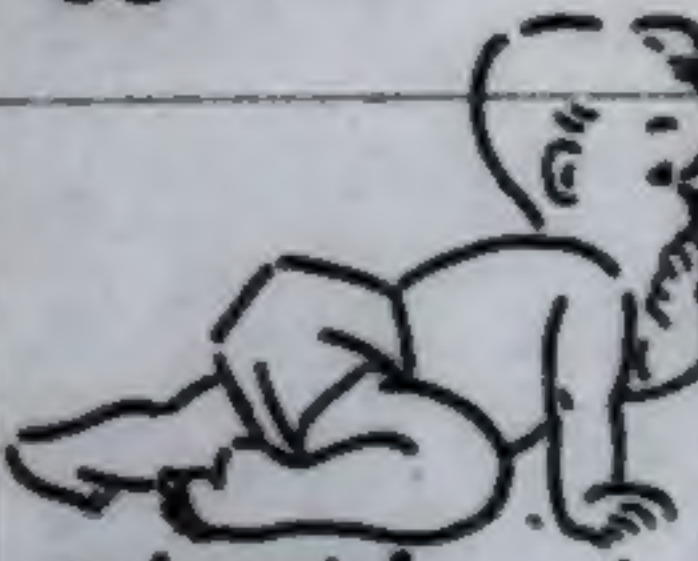
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West Lincoln Births

August 21st—To Philip and Mrs. Straum, Grimsby, a daughter.

August 22nd—To Paul and Mrs. Stefanek, R.R. No. 2, Smithville, a daughter.

Aug. 22nd—To Victor and Mrs. Garbutt, Grimsby, a son.

August 23rd—To Peter and Mrs. Enzki, R.R. No. 2, Smithville, a son.

August 24th—To Samuel and Mrs. Hamilton, Grimsby Beach, a daughter.

August 27th—To B. J. and Mrs. Bucknell, Campden, a son.

August 28th—To Clifford and Mrs. Gregory, Grimsby, a daughter.

August 29th—To Harold and Mrs. Neal, Jordan, a daughter.

August 30th—To Les and Mrs. Allen, Grimsby, a daughter.

Vinemount News

(Too Late For Last Week)

Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Glidden were: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clarke, Indianapolis, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Potter and young son John, Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Wm. Glidden and Miss Velma Glidden, Goderich, Ont.

Mr. Enos Jeffrey, Mrs. Joe Carlton and little Joe, returned home from a vacation spent in Oliphant, near Warton, at the cottage with Mrs. Holt and Dorothy, of Hamilton.

A shower was held in the Vinemount W.I. Hall Tuesday night for Mr. and Mrs. B. Harper, (formerly Opal Gilman). Cards and dancing were enjoyed by the many guests present. Lunch was served by the Young People's Union, assisted by Mesdames Gilman, J. Fleming, L. Thomas.

A benefit baseball game was played on Monday night at Tapleytown for pitcher Joe Clarke, between Tweedside and Tapleytown. The home team won the game 14 to 10. Batteries: Tapleytown, John Lawrence, George Krick and Bob Staples. Tweedside: Muir and Campbell McLaren. An exhibition game was played at Tapleytown Friday night between these teams with Tapleytown winning 9-2. Batteries: Tapleytown, George Rutka and Bob Staples; Tweedside: John Purcell, Muir and Campbell McLaren.



(By Peg 'n' Lynn)

Mid sighs, cheers, groans and laughter, G.H.S. came back to school. "The Good Old Summer-time" has passed once more and we must now store away our memories of "The Things We Did Last Summer," and settle down to good hard work.

This year we start afresh in the real sense of the word. An almost completely new staff has capably taken over and we hope that under their guidance we will make this one of the best years Grimsby High has ever had.

School was officially opened by Mr. Dymond who welcomed our new principal, teachers and pupils. He then turned the school over to Mr. Awde who introduced each new teacher to the student body.

This year we have a very large enrollment and several changes have been made to cut down congestion in the school. The teachers now rotate instead of the students and Assembly will be held on Friday morning only.

Parents were invited by Mr. Awde to attend an informal meeting Tuesday evening to meet the members of the staff and to get a brief outline of courses offered at the school. It is hoped that through such meetings as these our parents and teachers will become acquainted.

This week your reporters have tried to give you an outline of starting events along with a big Welcome Back. Next week we will have things organized and the usual departments such as Student and Joke of the week will return. We hope to add new departments as well. If any of you have suggestions which you think worthwhile, please get in touch with us.

To close this first G.H.S. column of the term we would like to add our personal welcome to the new students and teachers. May you all have great success throughout the coming year.

Obituary

A. D. Stirtzinger
Alvin Douglas Stirtzinger, of Beamsville, died at his home Tuesday, August 26th, aged 68 years. Born in Pelham Township, he moved to Tintern at the age of 11 years where he resided until five years ago, when he came to reside in Beamsville.

During his stay in Tintern he was an active member of Tintern United Church, and was superintendent of the Sunday School for some years and recording secretary of that church for over 25 years.

Mr. Stirtzinger was the agent of the Clinton Mutual Fire Insurance Company for Clinton and Louth Townships, and was tax collector for Clinton Township for

CANADA QUEEN



Judges at the Hamilton, Ont., police games selected Margaret Marshall, of Toronto, Ont., as Canada's Beauty Queen. So Miss Marshall received a crown, a title and a \$1,000 scholarship. She competes next month for the "Miss America" crown at Atlantic City.

17 years. He was recently assessor for Beamsville for three years, and took an active part in politics, being a staunch Liberal. From 1935 to 1940 he was inspector of the Agriculture Development Board of Lincoln County, failing health forcing him to retire from this position. He was a member of Court Campden, C. O. F., and was a member of Trinity United Church, Beamsville, since taking up residence in that town.

Surviving are his wife, the former Beatrice Hoffman; four daughters, Hazel, at home, Mrs. Keith Comfort, Mrs. Alfred Jeffrey, both of Beamsville, and Mrs. Paul High, of Jordan; one sister, Mrs. James D. Book, of Smithville; and one brother, Judson, of Louth Township.

The funeral was held from his residence on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment was in Mount Osborne Cemetery, Beamsville.

FALL FAIR DATES

Welland	Sept. 10-13
Blindbrook	Sept. 19-20
Smithville	Sept. 19-20
Ancaster	Sept. 22-25
Beamsville	Sept. 20, Oct. 1st
Caledonia	Oct. 2-4
Wardensburg	Sept. 20, Oct. 1st
Rockton	Oct. 11 & 13
Simcoe	Oct. 6-9

A sword gulper has been reported with a sore throat. The chances are he slept in a draft.

An old timer is one who can recall when a woman wouldn't be seen in public with her legs bare.

IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

Mrs. Fred Hayhurst, Grimsby Beach, opened her home for the annual meeting of the Women's Improvement Society with the president, Mrs. T. A. Pugsley, in the chair. Mrs. Margaret Bennett presented the financial report and showed a substantial balance.

Reports were given by the various committees and plans were made for next season's work. The Beach Weekly's report was given by Mrs. Hugh Martin which showed a successful year.

Officers elected were: president, Mrs. Cecil Carrick, of Toronto; first vice-president, Mrs. Hugh Martin, of Toronto; second vice-president, Mrs. Wilfred Robinson, of Toronto; honorary vice-presidents, Mrs. Charlotte Boyle, Mrs. J. Pearson and Mrs. C. J. Freeman; sec'y and corres. sec'y, Mrs. John Starr; treasurer, Mrs. Margaret Bennett; church flowers, Mrs. Ray Jarrett; property and Beach Weekly, Mrs. Hugh Martin.

Tea was served by Mrs. Fred Hayhurst.

BREVITIES

EVENTS and TOPICS of the WEEK in TABLOID

Town Council meets next Wednesday night.

New Saturday morning business hours at The Canadian Bank of Commerce start this Saturday morning. The new hours are from nine a.m. until 11 a.m.

The United Studios of Music under the supervision of Mr. and Mrs. T. Ryson, are now open for the fall term in the Masonic Hall. Teaching will be on Fridays from 3:30 p.m. until 10 o'clock.

Fire Department had a call to the home of James Walker, Main east, on Labor Day morning where an overheated motor in a washing machine started a blaze. No damage resulted.

Thirty-six building permits to the value of \$104,915 were issued during the month of August in St. Catharines bringing the total amount received this year to \$1,387,065. Twelve of the permits issued were for dwellings and totalled \$66,500.

VINEMOUNT NEWS

The following teachers have been engaged for the fall term, Mount Albion area schools. S.S. No. 6, Mount Albion, Miss Mary Madden, Albion, Ont.; S.S. No. 7, Tapleytown, Mr. Thos. Stewart, Hamilton; S.S. No. 8, Tweedside, Miss Mary Ashford, Newfoundland; S.S. No. 9, Lee's School, Miss Miyoko Matsuzaki, Hamilton; S.S. No. 10, Vinemount, Miss Jean Duck, Grimsby.

Miss Audrey Glidden will be on the teaching staff of the A. M. Cunningham School, Hamilton, this year.

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SPORTOLOGY

(By Bones Livingston, Sportologist)

THE ERRORS OF THEIR WAY—Well, the curtain has finally
been rung down on the Grimsby team for the current season and it is
well that it is so. The coach, the sponsor of the team, and Rev. Father
O'Donnell, the coach, are more than glad that the ignominious defeat
suffered last Saturday in Hamilton marks the finale for 1947. Nine-
teen errors—count them—nineteen—were the reason—or at least one of
the main reasons why Dundas will go on into the next round of the
O.A.B.A. competition. An unbiased study of the scorebook reveals the
fact that Grimsby secured nine runs on nine hits; received twelve free
transportations to the initial sack and only experienced seven strikes-
outs. That is sufficient to win nineteen out of twenty ball games in any-
body's league—provided that the members of the team continue to play
ball. It must be admitted that the Grimsby entry were handicapped by
lack of manpower, but even allowing for this, it is more than pitiful
to see nineteen errors recorded by a team that is temporarily enjoying
a 7-2 lead going into the first half of the fifth inning. After the re-
versal suffered by the team when they threw away an 8-1 lead the
previous Saturday in Dundas and allowed the series to be tied up, it
was hoped that they would snap out of their lethargy and play some-
thing akin to the famous pastime invented by Abner Doubleday some
decades ago. But it was not to be and as a consequence the Grimsby
entry into Juvenile O.B.A. suffered a very humiliating defeat in their
swan song of the season. Your scribe was talking with the manager
and coach of the Grimsby team after the game and they were more
than chagrined at the pitiful exhibition that was presented. They are
of the opinion that next year—if there is any baseball—it will have to
be in a lower series in order to try and develop some potential baseball
players. As regards the ghastly details of the game—charity will not
permit us to give the gruesome details—suffice it is to say that the
final score was Dundas 18; Grimsby 8.

ALL HONOR TO THE CHERRY KING—A week ago Tuesday
afternoon I stood in front of The Independent office talking to Harry
Biggar. He had just come from the Peach Bar where he had consumed
six of his favorite drinks, milkshakes. I said "how are the chances in
the Futurity to-morrow, Harry?" He replied, "I do not know, Bones,
the baby (Van Bigger is the baby) was a whittier at Stratford, then
I got the hump and he got sick, but I kept my obligations and raced
at New Hamburg but we got nowhere. If I had been right and the
habe had been right I could have lapped that Hamburg field a half
a dozen times. Since then that is two weeks, I have only worked him
two slow miles, then on Friday I worked him a slow mile, then a
double-header and then blew him out. Yesterday (Monday) I worked
him two slow miles. He seems to be all right. I hope so. But you can-
not tell, especially over that deep footing at Dufferin. Don't forget
I have to battle that good mare Vanity Herbert and do not let any-
body tell you she is not a real trotter. But I am on my way to Beam-
sville to pick the baby up and I am on my way to the races. If I win,
I win. If I lose, I lose. All credit to the horse and all credit to the
owner, trainer and driver that beats me."

Folks, that is Harry Biggar, that is Bill Herbert of London,
that is Dave Pinkney of Stratford, that is Jimmy Brown of New Li-
keard, that is thousands upon thousands of other harness horsemen and
horsewomen throughout Canada and the United States. They breed,
they baby, they raise and they race horses for the love of the sport.
Gambling does not mean a thing. It's the sport and the love of the horse.
Go on to any harness horse track in Canada and the United
States and what do you find? You find the little teenie-weenie farmer
from the backwoods of Perth County, or the state of Wisconsin, ming-
ling and sitting on upturned water pails in front of horse stalls with
men like the Hon. Earl Rowe, Harry Hatch of Ontario; the Harrisons
and the Reynolds in the U.S.A. and there are women the same. The
harness horse makes them all brothers and sisters under the skin.
They love the horses for the horse's sake and who ever heard tell of a
harness horse that had accomplished anything at all being kicked out
onto a milk wagon.

Harry Biggar is a great guy. He has the only race track in the
world that is built in the middle of a peach orchard, where a trainer
can jog his Biggar raised and trained colts and reach out any time
and pluck a luscious peach from off a tree.

And here is a little tip for you. Look out for harness horse racing
under the arc-lights at Long Branch. Will the Toronto public go for it?
I say they will. Goodbye to the hophheads at Long Branch. Fred Orpen
is no fool.

Have not heard from Harry since last Thursday, but I understand
that he was starting his good trotting mare Celia Lee in the free-for-all
trot at Grand Valley on Labor Day, against such good horses as Earl
Rowe's Van Riddle and that Van Blue from the Maritimes and a dozen
others that I could name. It is a Canadian Legion race meet and most
of those horsemen are going there to help the Legion out. The purses
are good, but not good enough under ordinary circumstances to attract
the class of horses that they are getting. But, folks, that is the harness
horse man again. He goes to race for the sport and the tougher the
competition is the better he likes it, win, lose or draw. It's great to be
a harness horseman and love the smell of the horse and the stables.

I'll have a horse someday. They have a hockey player beat a
mile, they only eat hay. Ma doesn't yet understand that. Now if McVicar
would only turn horse trainer for a couple of weeks I think it could
be worked.

THIS, THAT AND TOTHER—PEACH BUDS are out of the
picture for this year. They copped the first game for BIG RUBSTON
and his Dundas lads. Dropped the second one and then were beaten
out quite handily in the third game on Saturday afternoon. . . .
SMOKE McBRIDE and his LEGION team put WINONA out of the
O.A.B.A. playdowns on Friday night last when they copped the third
game of the series 8-2. The boys played in Smithville on Tuesday
night. The second game will be played in Grimsby TONIGHT. . . .
HARRY BIGGAR of Fruitland, journeyed to Grand Valley on Labor
Day and with his good colt VAN BIGGAR won the three-year-old trot-
ting stake. VAN trotted the bird heat in 2-10 2-5ths, which sounds
like a new Canadian record for colt trotters over a half-mile track. In
the \$1,500 Canadian Trotting Derby Harry took down third money with
his mare Celia Lee. FARMER JOHN, owned by Dr. Green of Stoney
reek won third money in the VAN BIGGAR won. . . . Summer is
fleeting. It will not be long until the hockey sticks will be brought
into play. The grapevine reports that the ARENA is booked solid for
the winter months, also that Pol Dalhouse will not be in the picture
this winter owing to their lack of ice at home and not being able to as-
sure practice and game hours at any other ice cushion. . . . GEORGE
WARNER took a bowing risk to the big \$2,500 bowling tournament
at Elora on Labor Day. The Grimsby boys were in the lead by a safe
margin for the big dough where the rains came. That spoiled the picture.
All prize awarding was set back to the standing of completed games
which the best the locals cannow figure on will be the securing of third
place. Had they been able to catch their last round they feel sure that
they would have won the (and Championship. . . . With all his 40
years in baseball and softball I doubt if OLD SMOKE McBRIDE ever
put in any more torturing minutes on a ball field than he did Tuesday
night in Smithville. When 45 game time came, SMOKE did not have
enough players on the ball to field a team. Finally with only two
minutes to go before the 45th of having the game forfeited he
threw nine men on the diamond. He had INSURANCE BILL FISHER
in the outfield and MEL SMITH, crippled with a bum ankle playing
shortstop. Owing to GORDY BUCHAN being unable to get off work
at the Firestone, HANDEE CRAIG went to the mound for the LE-
GION boys and for a rookie turned in a pretty fair performance. . . .
With a makeshift outfit like this was a wonder that the SMITH-
VILLIANS did not trounce them by a boat score but they were un-
able to do it for some reason, although I did take the canto by a
6-1 score. The two teams met in the sec game of the series on the
Public School grounds TONIGHT and it hoped that SMOKE will be
able to field his regular team. If he does has an excellent chance
of pulling out a win and tying the series. Here's hoping.

CANADIAN-U.S. ARCHITECTS STUDY U.K. TOWN PLANNING



Six American and Canadian architects who went
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They went to Stevenage from London Airport and
about the district, listening to informal lectures
about the scheme. Housing schemes and difficulties
encountered are being explained by L.C.C. architects
and planners to the visitors, who include Mr. Wil-
liam Curry, assistant dean of Harvard University,
and Mr. Frank Howard of Massachusetts State
Planning board. Others in the party are from Bos-
ton, New York, and Canada. Left to right: Miss M.
Lanza, Miss J. Wallbridge, both of Edmonton, Canada;
Mr. F. Howard, Boston; Mr. H. Field, New York; Mr.
H. Cobb, Boston; Mr. I. G. Dunn, New Zealand; Mr.
Van Melet, Mass. Mr. J. Rawlinson, chief engineer
of the L.C.C., is showing the visitors the plans for
the rebuilding and road system of the Elephant and
Castle London, when they visited county hall today.

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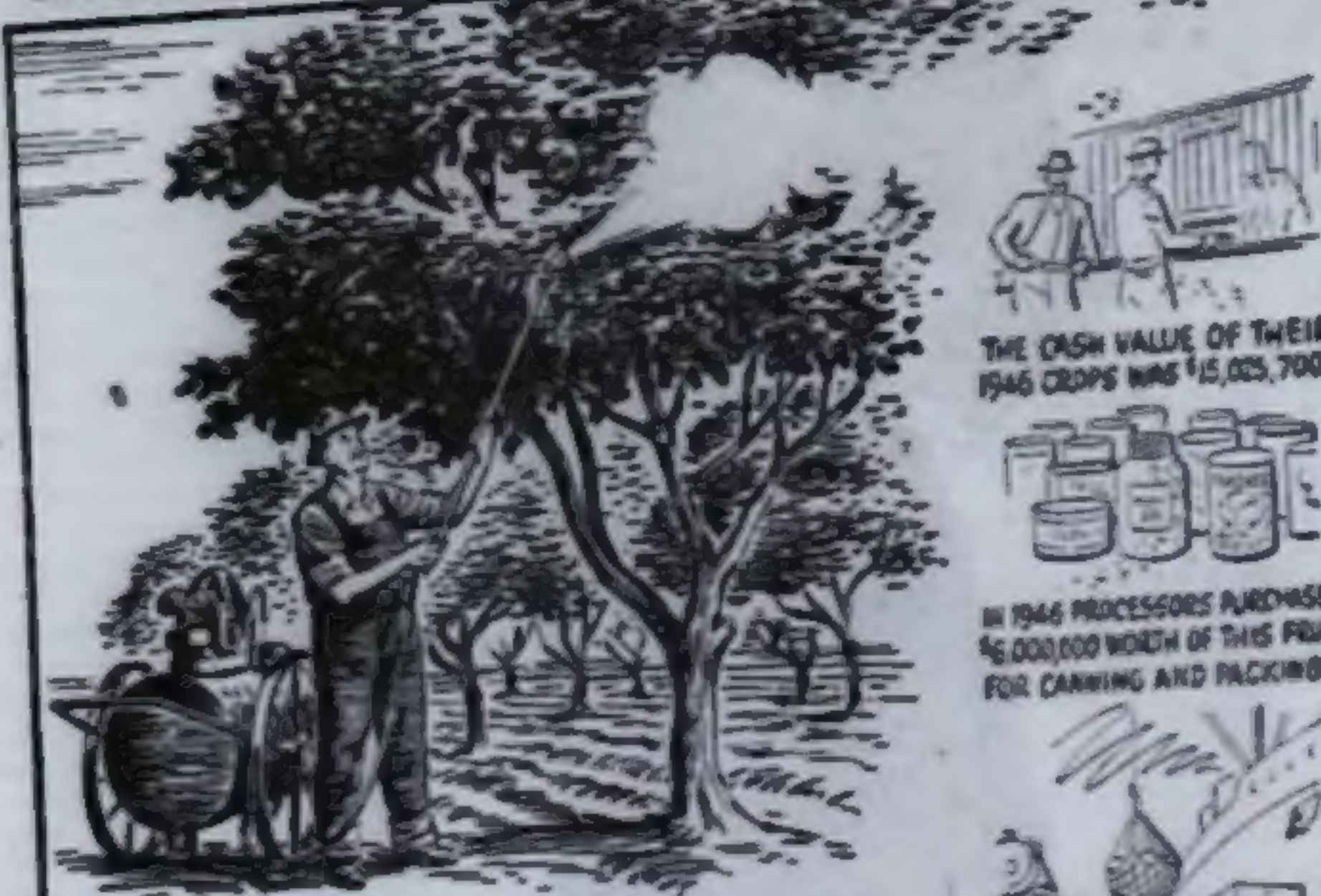
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Two devotees of miniature racing, Howard Frank, front, and Mike Bobco, time one of the tiny cars that tear around tracks at better than 100 m.p.h. They are members of the Long Island Auto Racing society which meets regularly at East Meadow, L.I., N.Y. The box in the photo over the track is an electric eye which clocks the cars in hundredths of seconds. The national record for one of these little fireballs of the speedway is 120.32 m.p.h. on a 1/34th mile track.

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As a tip on eating out, the experts point to whole wheat, rye or "Canada Approved" bread. These are necessary for health maintenance. Restaurants will stock healthful foods if there is a regular demand for them.

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Partridge Island, at the entrance to St. John Harbour, has been flashing a light to Bay of Fundy navigators since 1791. The lighthouse stands about 127 feet above sea level, and its 100,000 candlepower beacon can be seen normally at 17 miles, sometimes at 25 miles. The keeper bears the name of a widely famed Scotsman, Harry Lauder. During the recent war when assistants were hard to find, Mrs. Lauder often relieved her husband in the task of attending the light and fog signals.

For the island can boast of having the first steam fog whistle ever installed. It was invented by Robert Foulis, a St. John man, and set up in 1859. In 1930 the steam engine was replaced by a Diesel engine, with a two-tone diaphone producing the blast.

Being pleasure bent nowadays is another way to bend the bankroll.

SHOES FOR DOBBIN



Another item for the "Shoeshare" department in the program underway at Hammel, Germany, where thousands of gas shells, made with malice aforethought, are now being used to provide shoes for German horses and oxen. The work is being done in a big foundry, and by the time the great dump of shells is exhausted, there will be enough horse shoes made to shod every horse in Germany. Here are two workers starting the shells on their conversion journey. The men are former prisoners of war.

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TRAFFIC WAS HEAVY BUT NO CONGESTION

All modes of travel were pressed into heavy use as Canadians and Americans celebrated Labor Day and the last long week-end of the summer, but reports show that there was little of the congestion of war years and no travel records were broken. Highways throughout the Niagara peninsula were busy from Friday through until Monday night, but provincial police said that traffic was not unduly heavy. They said that Monday the proportion of American to Canadian cars on the road was ten-to-one, with thousands of Americans streaming home Monday night after holidays north of the border.

MOTOR LICENSES ARE NOW HALF PRICE

Commencing on Tuesday, September 2, all motor vehicle permits will be issued at half fee in Ontario. Authority to give effect to the usual reduced rate has been issued to all issuers of licences.

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There will be two plates for every vehicle next year with blue as the background and the figures in white. Because of the steel shortage only one plate was used during war years.

ANOTHER POLIO CASE DISCOVERED IN COUNTY

A second suspected case of infantile paralysis has been discovered in St. Catharines. An eight-year-old boy, Jerry Keba of 22 Dorothy Street, was taken to the general hospital Thursday afternoon for observation. Later he was removed to hospital in Hamilton.

A few weeks ago a small boy visiting Grimsby Beach was taken to hospital at Hamilton believed to be suffering from poliomyelitis. These are the first two suspected cases to be reported in the Niagara District since the summer "polio season" started.

Dr. J. M. McGarry of the St. Catharines-Lincoln Unit said that there is no epidemic in the district. "Two cases do not make an epidemic," he said. "However, the incidence of poliomyelitis does not reach its height until early September."

Precautions have been taken. Thursday morning an inspector of the Health Unit paid a visit to the boy's home. In such cases the house is placarded for 14 days, and it is the parent's responsibility to keep their children away. The breadwinner of the family is allowed to go to work, but all small children must be kept away.

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GLENDOR Tablets are effective. 2 weeks' supply, \$1; 12 weeks, \$5. At Dymond's and all druggists.

RELIABLE middle aged lady willing to go out baby sitting. Phone 204-W. 9-1p

RADIO REPAIRS—Phone 511-W. Potter Radio Electronic Service, 41 Fairview Road. (Member R.E.T.A.) 9-1p

poise and balance are involved in many organized sports. National Health officers declare that there are "many gains in playing games."

TAN AND FRECKLES Artificial aids to hasten fading of tans and removal of freckles are frowned upon by health experts. There is no safe way of removing tan or freckles, they say, because these consist of coloring matter, or pigment, which forms a part of the deeper layers of the skin. To get rid of them, the lucky possessors must simply let them fade in the natural course of time. "You can hardly expect a creamy white skin for your first Fall dance if you have enjoyed a becoming tan at the summer beach," say the authorities.

The old-time doctor had to be good. There weren't any vitamins for him to prescribe for most any kind of ill.

Boat and scale in the furnace or boiler cost money, advises the Canadian Institute of Plumbing and Heating. Chimneys and furnaces should be cleaned out during the summer, to save fuel bill.

WANTED

HORSES that are not fit to work. Apply Grimsby Mink Ranch, Main West, Phone 671-W. 9-1p

MIDDLE aged woman wants small unfurnished apartment or home-keeping room. Grimsby or vicinity. Apply P.O. Box 18. 9-1p

SINGLE bed in good condition. Also hall runner and a small rug approximately 6 ft. by 8 ft. Phone 103. 9-1p

IMMEDIATELY, good home with modern conveniences, in Grimsby, for one or two teachers at Winona. Phone Room No. 37, Village Inn, Grimsby, after 4.30. 9-1p

HELP WANTED

MEN wanted. Apply Grimsby Brick and Tile Co., Phone 460. 48-tfc

WOMAN to do cleaning two days a week, 50c per hour. Phone 100. 9-1p

PICKERS wanted, best possible wages. Apply G. Passer, Phone 121-M. 8-4p

CLEAN for retail store. Experience not necessary, but preferred. Box 101, Independent. 9-1p

WOMAN or girl to help with housework, part time. Apply Mrs. Young, 65 Main East. 9-1p

EXPERIENCED Peach pickers wanted, best possible wages. Apply G. Passer, Phone 121-M. 8-4p

EXPERIENCED mechanic with A Class License, good wages. Apply Home-Town Motors. Phone 46. 9-1p

WOMAN for general house work. Good home. Two adults. Willing to go to Toronto. Phone 88-J. Grimsby. 9-1p

LOST AND FOUND

ON NELLES Sideroad beach, girl's gold signet ring. Reward. 15 Nelles Blvd. 9-1p

LADY'S wrist watch, Bulova, owner's name on back. Reward. Phone 380. 9-1p

LITTLE fawn puppy, long ears, answers to the name of Sandy. Reward. Apply Albert Jarvis, 15 Depot St., Phone 108-J. 9-1p

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Twenty-four years ago the communications department of the Canadian Pacific Railway, more or less as an experiment, installed a new type of telegraph pole along 31 miles of track of the Algoma district in Northern Ontario. The poles were made from the lowly jack pine, long considered the comparatively useless poor relation of the Canadian forest, treated with creosote—the first installation of any consequence in Canada.

In order to provide increased clearances for new automatic block signal wires, 495 of the poles in this section are to be replaced with longer poles this year. But so successful was the "experiment" of 1923 that many of the shorter poles are to be used elsewhere on the system, and not a single pole has had to be replaced since that time due to rotting.

In the top picture some of the poles can be seen, still as good as new, along a stretch of the main line just west of Ramsey, Ont., with a standing jack pine snow break, effective and economical, on the right hand side of the track. At lower left Canadian Pacific officials test two of the poles to discover the penetration of creosote as forestry experts look on, and the outer rings on the pole sections in the third picture show the 100% penetration of the creosote.

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MUNICIPAL CLERKS

ing officer is to call the meeting to order. When a proposed candidate is not present his nomination paper will not be valid unless there is attached thereto evidence satisfactory to the returning officer that he consents to be nominated. The returning officer is required to post up the names of the nominees in order on a blackboard or similarly so that the names of those nominated are kept visible to the electors. A candidate nominated for more than one office has now until 9 p.m. on nomination day in which he may resign in writing from one or more offices. Failing to do so he is deemed to be nominated for the first office for which he was named.

Section 71 has been re-enacted and now provides that the clerk is not to declare any qualified candidates elected by acclamation until after the time for qualifying has expired.

What should prove a relief to many clerks is the recasting of section 140 which provided that in the case of a tie vote at an election the clerk was to give a casting vote. The section, as re-written, requires the clerk to notify the county or district court judge of the tie vote, whereupon the judge is to hold a recount. Only in the case of a tie on the recount will it be necessary for the clerk to give a casting vote.

TO FOSTER CLOSER

educational standards it was now time that we got back to normal and thus the early opening of school this term. The Chairman of the B. of E. also pointed out that the school was more crowded than ever before and that although the

board realized this they could do nothing due to the enlarged school areas planned by the Department of Education.

Mr. Aude then introduced the staff as follows:

Mr. Davies—Grade 11A, teaching all forms, except grade 9, maths.
Mrs. Johnston—Grade 13, teaching grade 10 Eng. and Grade 11 Mod. Hist.

Mr. Piper—Grade 10, teaching commercial and Grade 9 Eng.

Miss Pougnet—Grade 9A, teaching P.T., French 9 and Hist. 10.

Mr. Saunders—teaching Agr. in 9, 10 and 11. Also Dep. of Agr.

Mr. Snider—Grade 9B, teaching Phy. 12, Chem. 12, Geog. and P.T. 9, 10 and Math. 9.

Miss Kuntz—Grade 10A, teaching Latin all forms, Hist. 11 and 12, Art. 9.

Miss Glave—Grade 12, teaching French 10, 11, 12, 13, and Eng. 12.

Mr. Eaton—Music.

Miss Marlow—Home Economics.

Mr. Aude—Agr. Biol. and P.T.
Mr. Aude, to close his talk, outlined the course of study for each form and the rest of the evening was spent in informal chats between the parents and teachers.

AROUND WORLD

was one of the pioneers, starting his hobby in 1913 with an old spark transmitter taken from a ship. This was before the government was licensing amateur radio operators and using the radio waves then was a thrilling and risky business. Today, however, Bill is one of approximately 4000 "hams" in Canada. Each operator has an identifying set of call letters (Bill's are VE-3-AQS) and is licensed to operate on certain frequency ranges called bands. However, to obtain a license an operator must pass a written technical exam and must also be able to read code at the rate of fifteen words per minute.

Quite contrary to what one would think, the thousands of amateurs in Canada and the U.S. are highly organized. Most of them are members of the American Radio Relay League and organization which integrates the "hams" into a powerful body and informs them of new developments in the radio world through its publication "QST"—a magazine selling over 500,000 copies a month.

When asked if the amateur radio operators were of any great value to the country, Mr. Gillard stressed the fact that during the last war nearly all of the radio technicians in the services were "hams" who had the necessary knowledge of radio transmitting and receiving and consequently filled positions as instructors, technicians, and operators in the three branches of the Armed Forces.

Amateur radio is perhaps the most interesting of all hobbies. Bill Gillard has talked with fellow amateurs from all parts of the world. Trondheim, Norway; Pernambuco in Brazil; Lima, Peru; Sardinia, France, are but a few on the imposing list of contacts made in other countries by talking back and forth (called "working" by the amateurs), with English-speaking operators all over the world. "To call Australia," Bill says, "you

have to get up about five o'clock in the morning." "Then," he added, "we usually do it once a year."

For the technically-minded reader, Mr. Gillard's set consists of a nineteen tube, band switching receiver, a 500 watt transmitter, a carbon microphone, a modulation indicator and a rotatable, duralumin beam antenna which towers 30 feet high in the back yard. The mountain, Mr. Gillard says, doesn't interfere with his reception to any great extent. As a matter of fact, he thinks Grimsby is an ideal location for an amateur radio operator. The same holds true in the reverse, because Mr. Gillard, we are glad to have you; you are putting Grimsby on the map.

WATER SAFETY

special vote of thanks is given to Ruth for her fine work this summer.

The new life saving equipment, the paddle boards and buoy rings, gave the parents an added feeling of security. These, plus the kick boards and floating dock were provided by the Red Cross.

The instructors were paid a nominal fee and are to be commended for their good work.

The Lions Club provided a life guard for July and August at Melles Beach (Gareth Bedford) and the Cottagers' Association provided one for each month at Grimsby Beach (Marjory Morton and Ruth Powell). The combined efforts of the organizations plus that of the Red Cross are making the Beach a safe place to swim and teaching your children how to conduct themselves in the water.

POST OFFICE IS

her?" She was told how to secure a duplicate card.

Since Grimsby Post Office has installed a new set of scales we are often called upon to weigh the baby. We can give them the weight right to the ounce.

Some of the overwork of the Post Office staff is caused by people with large families. The children ALL call at the wicket on their way home from school, on their way back in the afternoon, and then on their way home of four o'clock; and then for good luck, after supper. All this in spite of the fact that there are only a certain number of trains a day.

Of course the Post Office staff do come in for some of the pleasant things, too—when the proud father announces the arrival of the first born and hands around the cigars. And a whole box of cigars when Joe Wong left for a visit to China!

The fact that Grimsby is known far and wide is evidenced by the number of letters received asking for information on the town of Grimsby, stating that the enquirer would like to locate here. Also, hardly a day passes during the fruit season when we do not have enquiries as to where fruit may be obtained, especially peaches.

A number of letters are received asking for information regarding relatives who used to live here some time ago. These are handed to The Independent, who are experts on "Way Back When."

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Sometimes when complaints are received that letters have gone astray or are missing, discreet inquiry reveals that the letters are still in hubby's pocket.

TAG DAY FOR BLIND

blind men were weaving in an exhibit by disabled workers in Toronto. Passersby paused to admire their skill incredulously. Then a fuse blew and the lights in that part of the building went out. The seeing workers all stopped but the blind men went on. Only then was it brought home to the onlookers what working in the dark meant.

Because all our activities are planned with the assumption that we can see, a different technique must be applied to the mechanics of daily living when a person cannot see. And it is not something that the average person can work out for himself.

That is why the work of The Canadian National Institute for the blind is important. For nearly thirty years the C.N.I.B. has been studying the best way to solve the problems of the blind. Its services have been designed by men without sight themselves to light a path for others through a darkened world. Research to improve the present service is continually going on.

Through the training which the Institute offers to those who have lost their sight, the ways of living and moving and working in the dark can be learned. The senses must be reoriented. The emphasis changes from sight to touch and hearing. Four senses must do the work of five. Men and women who cannot see must learn to listen more attentively and to interpret what they hear. Through handicrafts their fingers become more

sensitive, more adept at recognizing objects. More important than physical adjustments to lack of sight is its acceptance by the mind and spirit. Only a blind person can lead one who has newly become sightless to a healthy constructive mental attitude towards his handicap.

Through the years many services have been developed by the C.N.I.B. Home Teaching, Social Service, the Braille Library, Employment and Placement (including cafeterias and stands); the supplying of raw materials for home-workers and of appliances (such as watches, thermometers and games) specially designed for the use of the blind; the operation of sheltered workshops where sightless men and women are employed.

Through these services 14,000 blind people in Canada today have learned, in varying degrees, to pass the hours of darkness more constructively, more happily than would have been possible without the C.N.I.B.

The annual campaign of the C.N.I.B. is on now. Its work cannot continue without the support of a generous public. You can lend a helping hand to those who cannot see. Give now—give generously.

THESE FIGURES TELL THE STORY

Number of registered blind in Canada 13,884
Receiving social service 9,192
Receiving eye service 1,075
Receiving home teaching 862
Receiving salesroom service 1,630
Receiving library service 1,530
Receiving employment service 1,296
Receiving concessions (street car passes, radio licenses, theatre passes, reduced rail and bus fares, etc.) 524

FIRST PEACETIME ATOMIC PLANT

Perhaps one of history's momentous occasions is this beginning of the construction of North America's first peacetime atomic energy plant on a 4,000-acre tract at Brookhaven, L.I. At the controls of the huge power shovel as it dug the first scoopful of earth for the foundation excavation of the pile building, is Dr. Lytle Bort, atomic pile authority of Brookhaven laboratory. The laboratory will be operated on a non-profit basis by nine eastern universities under sanction of the U.S. atomic energy commission.

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